

The Federal Communications Commission

Dear The Federal Communications Commission,

I do not want to pay more for my telephone service! I urge you to reject a flat fee proposal that would change how contributions are made to the Universal Service Fund. I am concerned that this proposal could make my current service unaffordable.

Under the flat fee proposal you are considering, people who make few long distance calls would pay the same as people or businesses that make many calls. In other words, low-volume and primarily residential customers would bear the same universal service fund burden as a high-volume residential or business customers. This is unfair!

I use my wireless phone for safety, security and convenience. I don't want to lose these benefits so that big businesses can pay less than their fair share. I urge you to reject the proposal to move the USF collection system to a flat-fee.

There is already a Universal Service Fund Surcharge on my local phone service bill which was just recently increased to 70 cents per month.

WE still have a Federal excise tax of \$1.19 per month on our phone bill that was put there to help fund World War Two. HEY!! Guess what, that war ended 60 years ago!! Enough is enough. Keep the USF Fair!

Sincerely,

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